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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Véronique DOUIN et al.

Application No.: 09/766,403

Filed: January 22, 2001

For: NANOEMULSIONS COMPRISING AT
LEAST ONE AMPHIPHILIC LIPID, AT
LEAST ONE OIL, AND AT LEAST
ONE NONIONIC POLYMER, AND
USES THEREOF

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office action dated April 10, 2002, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of the subject application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute claims 1, 21, 55, 56, and 70-75, 77, 79, and 80 below for the previous version of the claims having the same numbers:

1. (Amended) An oil-in-water nanoemulsion comprising oil globules with an average size of less than 150nm comprising at least one oil, at least one amphiphilic

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